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No. 281.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1882.

FIVE DOLLARS
PER QUARTER.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

ARE now showing a Large and Varied Assortment of

TOYS.

Comprising:
ENGLISH AND FRENCH DOLLS.
NOVELTIES IN MECHANICAL TOYS.
NEW BRICKS AND PUZZLES.
AUTOMATIC CHARIOTS AND WAGONS.
ROCKING AND SPRING HORSES.
CUBES AND MOSAIC BUILDING SETS.
DRUMS, CYMBALS, AND OTHER MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
CHILDREN'S TEA AND TETE A TETE SETS.
PERCUSSION GUNS AND RIFLES.
WORDS AND HAPPY FAMILIES.
CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS IN VARIETY.

&c., &c., &c.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, 10th November, 1882. [296]

Insurances.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, EQUAL...\$813,333.33.
RESERVE FUND...\$70,858.27.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SING, Esq., LEI YAT LAU, Esq.,
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MANAGER.—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 1st September, 1882. [601]

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.
Agents,
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [457]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED...\$1,000,000.)

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [81]

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)...\$1,400,000.00
PERMANENT RESERVE...\$1,350,000.00
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND...\$1,200,553.95

TOTAL CAPITAL and Accumulations, 8th May, 1882...\$1,940,553.95

DIRECTORS.
H. DE C. FORBES, Esq., Chairman,
J. H. PINCKNEY, Esq., Wm. MEYERINK, Esq.,
A. J. M. J. VERVOORT, Esq., G. H. WHEELER, Esq.

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Policies granted on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the world.

Subject to a charge of 12 per cent. for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business (whether Shareholders or not) in proportion to the premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1882. [53]

Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE GOLDEN SCISSOR,
No. 13, POTTINGER STREET.

A. M. ROBINSON
(LATE OF T. M. LAWSON, CALCUTTA.)

TAILOR, Shirt and Breeches Maker and General Outfitter. Mr. ROBINSON invites Public Patronage and guarantees a perfect fit at Moderate Charges.

ROSSOR,
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Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of December, 1882, at THREE P.M., on the Premises,

By ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE, ALL that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND being a PORTION of MARINE LOT No. 87, measuring North 351 feet, South 351 feet, East 39 feet, and West 39 feet, which said Piece or Parcel of Ground is Registered in the Land Office as Section B of Marine Lot No. 87.

Together with the TWO HOUSES on Queen's Road West, Nos. 15 and 17. Held for the residue of term of 999 years. Yearly Crown Rent \$34.

For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

SHARP, TOLLER, & JOHNSON,
Solicitors for the Mortgagee.

or to J. M. GUEDES,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 11th December, 1882. [808]

For Sale.

CHRISTMAS, 1882.

AS the above Festival is approaching, the Undersigned begs to inform the Community of Hongkong that he is prepared to Supply

CHRISTMAS CAKES of the best quality, weighing from 1 lb. to 10 lbs. ready on hand, or made to order any weight.

ALSO, MINCED PIES, ASSORTED PARTS, CAKES, FRENCH DISCUTS, AND RUSKS.

D. NOWROJEE,
GROUND FLOOR, HONGKONG HOTEL,
Hongkong, 16th December, 1882. [824]

F. BLACKHEAD & CO.

SHIPCHANDLERS, STORE-KEEPERS AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS, PRAYA CENTRAL.

HAVE RECEIVED EX LATEST ARRIVALS.

AMERICAN CAST STEEL SHOVELS, PICKS.

AXES. HATCHETS. ENGINEERS' & HOUSEHOLD HAMMERS. PATENT BIT-DRACES. AUGER-BITS. DRILLS. GIMBLETS. SQUARES. PATENT BRASS PADLOCKS & CHEST LOCKS.

MRS. POTT'S PATENT SADIRONS. COOKING STOVES. FAIRBANK'S SCALES. FORCE PUMPS FOR SHIPS' USE. DRILLING MACHINES. BREAST DRILLS, AUTOM: BORING TOOLS.

ANVILS, VICES, AND DRILLS COMBINED. ANVILS. VICES. HITCHCOCK'S PATENT LAMPS. GLASS CUTTERS. SCROLL SAWS. FAMILY GRINDSTONES. BLACKSMITHS' BELLOWS. &c., &c., &c.

BEST WHITWORTH'S STOCK AND DIES. SCREW WRENCHES. PLANE IRONS. CHISELS. HAMMERS. PINNERS. NIPPERS. DIVIDERS.

RULES. METAL SCISSORS. METAL SAWS. TUBE EXPANDERS. OIL-FEEDERS. OIL-CANS. SALTER'S SPRING BALANCE SCALES. WESTON'S PATENT TACKLES. PATENT SOCKETS. DISTRESS SIGNALS. HOLMES' PATENT SIGNAL LIGHTS. FOGHORNS. SIGNAL LAMPS. LIFE BUOYS. LIFE BELTS. BOTTLE WASHING AND CORKING MACHINES. &c., &c., &c.

SPARKLING SCHARZHOFFBERGER. FLENSBURG STOCKBEER. MARIENTHALER BEER. VEUVE CLICQUOT PONSARDIN CHAMPAGNE.

Hongkong, 7th October, 1882. [630]

HONGKONG TIMBER YARD WANCHAI.

REGON PINE SPARS AND LUMBER ALWAYS ON HAND.

L. MALLORY, Proprietor.

Hongkong, 24th June, 1881. [495]

Intimations.

THE CHEAPEST HOUSE IN THE EAST.

FOR BOOKS, STATIONERY, MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, FANCY GOODS, ARTISTS' MATERIALS, &c., &c., &c.

W. BREWER.

No. 15, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

JUST RECEIVED.
TRANSLATIONS OF ZOLA'S NOVELS, INCLUDING POT BOUILLE, NANA, L'ASSOMMOIR.

Balzac's Droll Stories. Haswell's Engineers' Pocket Book. Miss Bird's Travels in Japan, Cheap. ed. Hill's Manual of Social and Business Forms. Ingersoll's Lectures, "Ghosts," "Gods," &c., &c. Ruskin's Works complete, in 15 vols. The Royal Koinis.

Marvin's Russia's Advance towards India. Diamonds and precious Stones by Dieulafoy. Kemp's Handbook of Electric Testing. The Synod of Elvira, by A. W. Dale. Henri Dominique Lacordaire, by Lear. Vero Shaw's Book of the Dog. Stonehenge's Book of the Dog.

DITSON'S VOLS OF MUSIC.
Gems of English Song. Silver Wreath. Musical Treasure. Organ at Home. Gems of Strauss. Pianists' Album. Wreath of Gems. Silver Chord. Gems of Scottish Song. Gems of Waldeufel. World of Song. Pianoforte Gems.

MASON AND HAMLIN'S BABY ORGANS.
Hongkong, 8th December, 1882. [703]

XMAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

1882-1883.

NOVELTIES FOR AUTUMN AND WINTER.

ROSE & CO.

ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR NOVELTIES FOR THE SEASON.

BARBOTINE WARE. ELEGANTLY DESIGNED CLOCKS. VASES, JARDINERS, LANDSCAPE PAINTED PLATES. TOILET SETS, &c.

PLUSH GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY. NECESSAIRES, WORK BOXES. CABINETS, PHOTO FRAMES, MIRRORS. WALL AND CORNER BRACKETS AND WATCH STANDS. TABLE COVERS, GLOVE AND HANDKERCHIEF BOXES.

GRAPHOSCOPES, OLIVE WOOD WARE, BAGS AND BASKETS. BEADED BED SETS, BRACKET HEAD WORK AND BANNER SCREENS. LETTER AND CARD CASES, BRONZES. PERFUME SATCHETS, ALBUMS.

NOVELTIES IN ELECTRO PLATED WARE. THE MACKINNON PEN. OLEOGRAPHS, PRINTS.

BROOCHES, EARRINGS. NECKLACES, STUDS, SOLITAIRE, SCARF PINS AND RINGS.

A LARGE AND SELECT ASSORTMENT OF TOYS. SKIN ROCKING HORSES. MECHANICAL TOYS. MUSICAL TOYS.

DOLLS IN GREAT VARIETY, FRENCH AND ENGLISH. CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS. BON BON COSAQUES AND CONFECTIONERY. WOOL WORK SLIPPERS, CUSHIONS, OTTOMAN COVERS, &c. LADIES' SUPERIOR FRENCH KID GLOVES 3, 4, 6, 8, 12 BUTTONS. GENTS' 2 BUTTON KID GLOVES \$1 PER PAIR. PARISIAN MANTLES, SEALSKIN MANTLES, CAPES, AND MANTLE TRIMMING.

CHRISTY'S FELT HATS. HOSIERY. NOVELTIES IN GENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS. STATIONERY AND PERFUMERY. LOCKYER'S HAIR RESTORER. FRENCH POLISH FOR BOOTS. COATINGS, TROWSERINGS, SUITINGS, AND ULSTER CLOTHS.

TRAVELLING TRUNKS AND BAGS. MUSIC, GIFT BOOKS, TOY BOOKS, &c.

A FIRST CLASS MAGIC LANTERN AND SLIDES FOR LOAN ON HIRE. OUR DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY DEPARTMENTS ARE UNDER GOOD MANAGEMENT; TERMS MODERATE.

A LIBERAL DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT CASH PAYMENT. ROSE & CO., 31 & 33, QUEEN'S ROAD—HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 7th December, 1882. [379]

SAYLE & CO.'S SHOWROOMS.

SAYLE & CO.

WE ARE NOW SHEWING EX "RECENT ARRIVALS."

ALL WOOL SCOTCH PLAIDS, at 45 CENTS PER YARD. LADIES FUR-LINED CLOAKS FROM \$12 to \$80 EACH. CLOTH AND MATALASSE DOLMANS, MANTLES, AND JACKETS, IN NEWEST SHAPES.

NOVELTIES DIRECT FROM PARIS IN MOIRE, BROCHE, OTTOMAN, AND SURAT DRESS SILKS. LADIES SILK AND SPUN SILK HOSE IN EVERY COLOUR.

KID GLOVES - 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 BUTTONS. NOVELTIES IN CORSET LACE, AND CLASP KID GLOVES. INFANTS', CHILDREN'S AND LADIES' BOOTS AND SHOES IN EVERY SIZE. &c., &c., &c., &c., &c.

A LIBERAL DISCOUNT FOR CASH. SAYLE & CO., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1882. [659]

"NOVELTY STORE."

MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

NOW SHOWING A LARGE AND SELECT ASSORTMENT OF TOYS AND NOVELTIES IN ENGLISH, FRENCH, AND AMERICAN GOODS, VERY SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

Also Just Opened BOOKS OF REFERENCE IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH. RELIGIOUS WORKS IN ELEGANTLY BOUND COVERS. PICKWICK PAPERS. AND A VARIETY OF CHEAP NOVELS.

ALL QUITE NEW AND OFFERED AT MODERATE PRICES. S. MEYERS, Manager.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1882. [661]

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

I have THIS DAY PURCHASED under a Bill of Sale, the GOODWILL, PLANT, MACHINERY, STOCK-IN-TRADE AND FIXTURES OF THE FIRM OF DE SOUZA & Co., PRINTERS, &c., OF HONGKONG; and beg to intimate that I will carry on the BUSINESS under the same Name.

By strict attention, First-class Workmanship, and Moderate Charges I hope to merit the Patronage of the Hongkong public.

F. D. GUEDES.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1882. [817]

NOTICE.

MR. MAX CARL JOHANN GROTE has been Authorized to Sign Our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

MELCHERS & Co.
Hongkong, 21st November, 1882. [772]

Intimations.

WANTED.

BY THE ADVERTISER A SITUATION AS OFFICE ASSISTANT OR STORE-KEEPER.

Address—M. E. G.
Care of Hongkong Telegraph.
Hongkong, 13th December, 1882. [816]

WANTED.

AN ENGAGEMENT, either as BOOKKEEPER or GENERAL ASSISTANT, by a Gentleman, who has a few hours during the day, disengaged in case full office hours is required, arrangements might be made with a few days notice. Good references. Salary no object.

Apply to F. Care of this Office.
Hongkong, 10th November, 1882. [743]

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

SUIT No. 1349 OF 1882.

KWOK PAK AND OTHERS V. NG TANG AND ANOTHER.

ALL Persons having any Claims or Demands on the KWONG SUI LI Grocery Shop are requested to transmit the particulars thereof to me in order that the same may be examined and discharged, and all Persons who are indebted to the said KWONG SUI LI are required to pay the amount of their respective Debts to my forthwith, otherwise legal proceedings will be instituted for the recovery thereof without further notice.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1882.

CHUNG SHING HONG, Receiver.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED, will be held at the Society's Head Office, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of December, 1882, at FOUR of the O'CLOCK, in the AFTERNOON, when the Subjoined Resolution will be proposed.

RESOLUTION.
That each of the Existing \$5,000 Shares of the Society be divided into Four Shares of \$1,250, upon each of which the sum of \$125 shall be credited as paid up.

By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, Dated the 8th day of December, 1882. [805]

LOST.

A TRANSFER DEED with SCRIP attached for 20 LUZON SHARES, being one of two Transfers of the same number of Shares signed by the Hon. F. B. JOHNSON. The finder will oblige by returning it to the Under-mentioned and the holder of the other 20 Shares by sending them to the Company's Office for Transfer to enable the numbers of the missing Shares to be traced.

Also, TRANSFER DEED for 5 LUZON SUGAR SHARES in the name of Mr. C. P. CHATER.

D. NOWROJEE, Hongkong Hotel.

Hongkong, 7th November, 1882. [737]

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

J. DA ROZA'S HAIR CUTTING SALOON HAS BEEN REMOVED TO No. 27, POTTINGER STREET.

HAIR-CUTTING in the latest Fashion, Shaving, Shampooing, &c., by experienced artists, and at LOW RATES.

RAZORS CAREFULLY RE-SET.

Note the address—No. 27, Pottinger Street.

Hongkong, 23rd November, 1882. [774]

TO SPORTSMEN.

FOR SALE AT LESS THAN COST. OWING TO OWNER LEAVING THE COLONY.

1 Set of CAPE HARNESS (Brass Mounts) with Pole (Brass Plates). 1 Silk-lined RACING SADDLE. RACING WHIPS with Silver Mounts.

The above, which are ALL NEW, may be seen at the "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" OFFICE and will be Sold a BARGAIN.

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1882. [726]

FOR SALE.

G. H. MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts...\$22 per Case. Pints...\$23 per Case.

Apply to MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1882. [132]

Shipping.

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. American Bark.

"JOHN D. BREWER." Josselyn, Master will load at Whampoa for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 15th December, 1882. [821]

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. German Ship.

"MOMMSEN." Wilms, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 20th November, 1882. [760]

Mails.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE;

VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship "OCEANIC,"

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, at THREE P.M.

Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing.

RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent. from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 per cent. will be made from Return Fare.

Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25 per cent. from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland, Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Office addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central.

F. E. FOSTER, Agent.

Hongkong, 12th December, 1882. [193]

To be Let.

TO LET.

PARSEE VILLA (6 Rooms), Robinson Road, also a TWO STOREY HOUSE (6 Rooms) in Mosque Junction. Both the above HOUSES have Gas and Water laid on; and immediate possession can be had.

For Particulars apply to D. NOWROJEE, Hongkong Hotel.

Hongkong, 27th November, 1882. [782]

TO LET.

No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET. No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, lately occupied by PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

No. 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 1st November, 1882. [74]

TO LET.

AN UNFURNISHED ROOM IN HOUSE, No. 9, PEDDAR'S HILL.

Apply R. E. Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, 14th December, 1882. [819]

STORAGE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to take Goods on STORAGE at their GODOWNS, Entrance from Praya and Queen's Road Central.

TERMS MODERATE. Apply to ROSE & Co., 31 and 33, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, 30th June, 1882. [266]

For Sale.

C. L. THEVENIN, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT.

HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDINGS. HAS FOR SALE.

A FINE ASSORTMENT OF WHITE AND RED BURGUNDIES AT MODERATE PRICES.

A Capital AMONTILLADO SHERRY. Assorted LIQUEURS of the best quality.

BON BONS, FRENCH PRESERVES, FRENCH BUTTER AND CHEESE by Every French Mail, PERFUMERY, &c., &c.

the Act 16 and 17 Vic., cap. 119. This Act makes it an offence to open or keep for use an office, a room, or other place for the purpose of holding with persons resorting thereto. By the superior courts the expression "other place" has been construed with much elasticity. A stool, a desk, a seat with an umbrella over it, even an habitual shelter under a tree, have all been held to be illegal betting resorts within the meaning of the Act. The action of the Salford Town Clerk has aroused a panic among those interested in betting, lest, if the prosecutions thus instituted should succeed, similar crusades should hereafter be instituted with reference to other recreances and their habitats. Many people have hazarded the conjecture, and not for the first time, that if betting is illegal in "offices" &c., of this sort, not only is no "Tattersall's enclosure" or any recreance free from the penalties of the law, but also even such sanctuaries as Tattersall's rooms at Albert-gate, the Victoria in Wellington-street, and the rooms at Newmarket or Doncaster, exist only at the mercy of the Public Prosecutor, and may be closed at any moment if he chooses to set the law in motion. Such was the state of affairs in regard to the question of betting in England when the last mail left. What then is the state of affairs at the present time in regard to lotteries in the Settlements. In the minutes of the Municipal Council forwarded to us for publication yesterday, we read that "The Superintendent of Police reports that the local lottery offices conducted by Chinese have been closed by the Mixed Court; there are still, however, seven offices open, six of which are conducted by Portuguese, and one by a British subject; he, therefore, recommends that a summons should be applied for at the Supreme Court against the latter for selling lottery tickets. Decidedly, this is a very good recommendation. Lotteries are illegal, according to Chinese Law, as shown by the action of the Mixed Court has taken, and we believe we are correct in stating that Mr. J. da Silva, while Consul for Portugal, compelled one of his subjects to close a lottery established on the system of the Manila Lottery, but his successor Mr. Pinto Basto in October, 1880, and in April, 1881, refused, on the application of the Municipal Council, to close lotteries started by Portuguese on the ground of their similarity to the ordinary race lotteries held at the Shanghai and Concordia Clubs and Central Hotel. It is, we presume, on the precedent laid down by Mr. Pinto Basto that the now Acting Portuguese Consul, or rather his deputy at the Mixed Court, has declined to interfere with these lottery offices mentioned by the Superintendent of Police as conducted by Portuguese. That the law of Portugal prohibits lotteries of the kind complained of, the action of Mr. J. da Silva fully establishes, but the course subsequently adopted by Mr. Pinto Basto throws the onus on the Council of taking steps to stop all illegal lotteries in the Settlement, and one isolated prosecution in the Settlement, and one isolated prosecution in the Settlement, is not likely to attain what we suppose is the real object in view, a complete stoppage to the lottery nuisance as it now exists in Shanghai. While lotteries are allowed to be openly carried on unmolested, it is open to any particular Consul to object to one of his subjects being singled out and punished for a supposed evil, when a like evil exists to a greater extent in the very next house to the one which he has occupied. For the Council, then, to be successful in stamping out the nuisance that exists, stronger steps are necessary than any that have yet been taken, and as all nationalities are concerned, the united action of the Consular Body is necessary before the evil can be eradicated. The present position of affairs is briefly this. There are now nearly a dozen Chinamen undergoing various terms of imprisonment in the Mixed Court jail for having been connected with lotteries in the Settlement, which is an offence not only against the laws of every other nationality represented here, and an offence, too, in relation to which subjects of some, if not all, of these other nationalities cannot consider themselves entirely guiltless. There is, therefore, an inequality of justice in regard to lotteries in the Settlement that is contrary to the principles of honest government, and it calls for immediate remedial measures. Great difficulties, we know, beset the question, but they are difficulties that should not be shirked by the united wisdom of the Municipal and Consular Bodies, but boldly faced without fear, favour, or affection.

In the consideration of this subject, the free sale of the Manila Lottery tickets in the Settlement is an important point, and one which has hitherto caused considerable discussion. This lottery is a national one, legalised by the Spanish Government, and it appears to us that any evil that exists in regard to the sale of the tickets here might be remedied by representations to the proper authorities. Lottery companies are 25,000 tickets. Only about 7,000 of these are sold in Manila, and the remaining 18,000 find purchasers in Hongkong, Macao and China, and we are informed that from 10,000 to 15,000 tickets find their way to Shanghai every month. These tickets are sold indiscriminately, and used as the purchaser likes; whereas we imagine that if the Foreign Consuls and Consul were to represent the evil that exists to the Spanish authorities, some scheme might be devised whereby the Spanish Consul would have surveillance over the sale of the tickets and thereby be in a position to deal with frauds, impositions, and bogus lotteries that now result from the absence of any system in regard to the sale of the tickets here.—*Shanghai Courier*.

NAGASAKI.

[FROM A CORRESPONDENT.]
We regret to record the death of the Rev. E. Puthoff, Vicar Apostolic at this port, which occurred after a brief illness on Sunday last, the 10th inst. Deceased was about 29 years of age, and was in charge of the parish of Urakami, this post becoming vacant by the death of the Rev. Puthoff, who died about 10 months ago. The funeral took place on the 12th inst., there was a very large attendance, including many foreign residents, and like his predecessor he was interred in the compound adjoining the Catholic Church, this having been granted by the respective authorities in Tokyo.—*Shanghai Mercury*.

"THAMES-STREET" INDUSTRY, by Percy Russell. This illustrated Pamphlet on Perfumery, &c., published at 6d., may be had gratis from any Chemist or dealer in Perfumery in the World, or John Cowell & Co., London.—[Adv.]

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by correspondents in this column.]

THE VICTORIA REGATTA.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."
SIR,—May I, through your valuable columns, call the attention of those interested in the late regatta, to the following facts in connection with one of the races?
In the programme published in the local press, of the second day's races, Race No. 7 was one, "To be rowed in 5 or 6 oared Royal Naval Gigs or Whalers, by Officers of H.M.S. Fleet in Harbour. Cup presented by the Members of the Hongkong Club."
The Warrant Officers of some of H.M. Ships in harbour formed a crew and entered a 5 oared Whaler belonging to the *Victor Emanuel*.
The day after the entry the following letter was received from the Hon. Secretary of the V. R. C.
Hongkong, December 12th, 1882.
SIR,—With reference to your entry for race No. 7 (Second day) at the forthcoming Regatta and the conversation I had with you this morning, I have the honor to inform you that the Committee of the V.R.C. have decided that the race referred to above is for Commissioned Officers only, and that no Warrant Officer is entitled to row in it. If, however, there is not a sufficient number of Commissioned Officers to make up crews, the Committee are willing to make the race one for Warrant Officers only.
I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
J. H. STEWART-LOCKHART,
Hon. Secy. V. R. C.

In the face of this communication, the race was contested by two boats only, whose crews were composed as follows:—*Encounter*—5 oared whaler—4 Commissioned and 2 Warrant Officers. *Lily and Vigilant*—6 oared whaler—Commissioned, 1 Warrant, and 1 Subordinate Officer.
The result, as you are aware, was a victory for the *Encounter*'s boat.
It is important to note that the boat entered by the victorious representatives of the *Encounter* was the boat in which the Warrant Officers crew mentioned above intended to pull.
Now, Sir, as apparently the qualifying conditions of entry for this race had been subsequently again changed from those set forth in the above letter of the Hon. Secretary, would it not have been an act of common courtesy and justice on his part to have informed the scratched crew of the change, in order to allow them entering their boat?

I wonder if the Hon. Secretary or the Committee, who are responsible for these alterations, were in any way swayed or influenced by the counsel of those interested in the race?
Under any circumstances, a feeling of injury as well as a want of confidence in the management has been very widely spread—I enclose my card, and am,
Yours, &c.,
Justice.

Hongkong, 18th December, 1882.

THE DISQUALIFICATION OF THE GUNNER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."
SIR,—I should like very much, with your kind permission, to say a few words about the Gig Race contested at the Victoria Regatta on Friday the 15th inst.
You, in your issue of that day's date, rate the boats as follows:—*Gunner* 1st, *Zulu* 2nd, and *Buffs* 3rd. The *China Mail* and *Daily Press*, on the other hand, give first place to the *Zulu*, and second honours to the *Buffs*, disqualifying the R.A. boat on the ground of a foul. Now, it is concerning this foul that I should like, in fairness to ourselves, to pass a few remarks.
At about 200 yards from the point of starting, the coxswain of the Police Boat steered his vessel to starboard, altogether out of his own course, so much as to cause a foul to take place, notwithstanding the fact that the R.A. steersman endeavored to keep away as much as he possibly could, without on his part colliding with the *Buffs*' boat, and this course the Police pursued for nearly the whole of the race, although they were hailed several times by the Gunners, to keep to their own water; and despite the strenuous efforts made to avoid it by the R.A. coxswain, another foul occurred when about 200 yards from the winning post. The latter foul could only be attributed to the Chinese helmsman of the Police boat keeping up the hugging policy which caused the collision in the first instance; in fact, one might have been excused for thinking that the sturdy guardians of the peace, were endeavouring to emulate the tactics of the Hillsdale crew on the Thames.
From accounts of various impartial eye witnesses of the event, they all blame the Police boat for the unsatisfactory result, for, as it is clearly pointed out, had the *Gunner* gone to starboard further than she did, she would virtually have been out of the race altogether, or else unpleasantness would have arisen between her and the crew of the *Buffs*' boat. However, the umpires seemed to see things with a different eye, and consequently the race went to the Police.

You may well imagine, Sir, that the *Gunner*'s crew are far from feeling satisfied with the affair, as they feel that they have been badly dealt with, and a considerable amount of dissatisfaction was felt when they read in your issue of Saturday the challenge from the Police crew to row the course over again, for twenty dollars per oar, and as they feel confident that they won the race on their merits alone, they willingly accept the challenge.

At present, unfortunately, the annual gun practice of the Royal Artillery is taking place, and consequently our time is much occupied, but in about a month from this date, we shall be delighted to meet our old opponents, to prove conclusively, by strength of muscle, which are the better men, the Police or the Gunners.

Apologizing for trespassing at such length on your valuable space,
Yours, &c.,
A GUNNER.
[P.S.—The R.A. crew will be glad to hear further from the Police representatives as to date of match, &c.]
Hongkong, 18th December, 1882.

MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL.
The M. M. steamer *Djinnah*, with the next French mail, left Saigon on Thursday, the 14th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 18th.

THE AMERICAN MAIL.
The O. & O. Co.'s steamer *Cogito*, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 17th inst., and may be expected here on the 23rd.

THE INDIAN MAIL.
The steamers *Moray* and *Arratoon* appear, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the 17th inst., and may be expected here on the 1st January.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The O. & S. Co.'s steamer *Billithron*, from London, left Singapore for this port on the morning of the 17th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 19th.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

THE Steamship

"DIAMANTE,"
Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-DAY, the 18th inst., at Five P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, 16th December, 1882. [823]

FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

THE Spanish Steamer

"EMUY,"
Captain Ortuzar, will be despatched for the above Ports, on THURSDAY, the 21st inst., at Four P.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.
Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. [825]

FREEMASONS' HALL.

THE MUSIC CHOSEN FOR NEXT

THURSDAY will be REHEARSED
TO-DAY, at 5.30 P.M.
Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. [826]



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

NO. 485.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEERS.

INTENDING VOLUNTEERS are requested to present themselves for enrolment at the Headquarters of the Hongkong Volunteers between the hours of 5 and 6 P.M. on WEDNESDAY, the 20th inst., and THURSDAY, the 21st inst.

By Command,
FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. [828]

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st inst., both days inclusive.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. McLAURIN,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. [829]

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(Signed) W. SIDNEY BAMEY,
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Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. [827]

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Hongkong, 18th December, 1882. [559]

Intimations.

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Hongkong, 2nd October, 1882. [660]

Intimations.

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Intimations.

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